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and the duty of the health inspectors to enter any building in said city between sunrise and sunset for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this ordinance, and for the purpose of ascertaining if such building is in good sanitary condition.

SEC. 11. The health commissioner shall make a thorough sanitary inspection of the city in the month of May, and present written report of such inspection, together with his recommendations, to the council on or before the 1st day of June of the year in which the inspection is made. The health commissioner shall send a copy of this report to the Minnesota State Board of Health before July 1 of the same year.

**Privy Vaults and Cesspools—Removal of Contents, and Connection with Sewers.
(Ord. Dec. 23, 1912.)**

SEC. 12. No person, company, or corporation shall, within the city of Mankato, empty, clean, or remove the contents of any privy, vault, sink, or private drain, without first having obtained a permit from the health commissioner.

SEC. 13. Every dwelling house now erected or hereafter to be erected fronting on the streets, avenues, or alleys where sewers and water mains have been constructed and laid or adjacent to said streets, avenues, or alleys, and every water-closet, privy vault, and cesspool along the line of such sewers and water mains, shall be properly connected with the sewer and with the water main whenever in the opinion of the department of public health it shall be deemed to be in the interest of public health that such sewer and water connections should be made, which connection shall be in all parts adequate for the purpose so as to permit entirely and freely to pass whatever enters the same, and all such dwelling houses, water-closets, privy vaults, or cesspools shall be provided with proper traps, ventilating pipes, and tight pipes for connecting with house sewers, and such connection with said water mains shall be so as to provide sufficient water for flushing the same, and every owner, agent, lessee, and occupant shall take adequate measures to prevent improper substances from entering such water-closets, privy vaults, and cesspools or their connections, and to secure the prompt removal of any improper substance that may enter therein, so that no accumulation shall take place; and so as to prevent any exhalation therefrom, offensive, dangerous, or prejudicial to health, and so as to prevent the same from being or becoming obstructed.

SEC. 14. Any privy that is foul or improperly constructed or kept so as to be accessible to flies, or any privy erected or maintained nearer than 20 feet to any street, avenue, public park, dwelling, shop, or well, or any privy erected or maintained within the limits of the city of Mankato, unless the same is furnished with a vault approved by the health commissioner, is hereby declared a nuisance.

Nuisances—Abatement of. (Ord. Dec. 23, 1912.)

SEC. 15. If any person within the limits of the city of Mankato shall permit or suffer on his premises or on premises of which he may be the agent or occupant, any nuisance, source of filth, or cause of sickness, the health commissioner shall order the owner or occupant thereof to remove the same at his expense within a time not to exceed 10 days, the exact time to be specified in the notice. Said notice shall be served by the chief of police or any police officer or health inspector of said city by delivering a copy thereof to the owner, occupant, or agent of such property. If the owner of the property is unknown or absent with no known representative or agent upon whom notice can be served, then the chief of police, police officer, or health inspector shall post a written or printed notice upon the property or premises setting forth that unless the nuisance, source of filth, or cause of sickness is abated or removed within 10 days, the chief of police, police officer, or inspector will abate or remove, or cause to be abated or removed, at the expense of the owner, the nuisance, source of filth or cause of sickness complained of and found to exist; provided that in carrying